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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **TRANSMITTAL**

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. CL2074USNA First Inventor Xueying Huang NANOMETER-CONTROLLED POLYMERIC THIN FILMS THAT RESIST ADSORPTION OF BIOLOGICAL MOLECULES AND CELLS Title AND CELLS

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| 1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. 3. Specification [Total Pages 47] (preferred arrangement set forth below) - Descriptive title of the invention - Cross Reference to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description - Claim(s) | 7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)  8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)  a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)  b. Specification Sequence Listing on:  i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or  ii. Paper  c. Statements verifying identity of above copies  ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| - Abstract of the Disclosure  4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets]  5. Oath or Declaration [Total Sheets]  a. Newly executed (original or copy)  b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)  i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  | 9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of (when there is an assignee) Attorney 11. English Translation Document (if applicable) 12. Information Disclosure Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations 13. Preliminary Amendment 14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized) 15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) 16. Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.  17. Other: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| name in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).  6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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## FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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| Filing Date          | February 24, 2004 |  |  |  |  |
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|  | FEE C                  | ALCULATION                                   |   | 1251                        | 110                      | 2251        | 55          | Extension for reply within first month                                     |             |  |
| 1. BASIC F   |                        |  |   | 1252                        | 420                      | 2252        | 210         | Extension for reply within second month                                    | <del></del> |  |
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|  | Fee Fee [<br>Code (\$) | Fee Description                              | Fee Paid                                    | 1254                        | 1,480                    | 2254        | 740         | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |             |  |
| 1001 770   | 2001 385               | Utility filing fee                           | 770.00                                      | 1255                        | 2,010                    | 2255        | 1,005       | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     | <b>├</b>    |  |
| 1002 340   | 2002 170               | Design filing fee                            | 770.00                                      | 1401                        | 330                      | 2401        | 165         | Notice of Appeal   |             |  |
| 1003 530   | 2003 265               | Plant filing fee                             |   | 1402                        | 330                      | 2402        | 165         | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |             |  |
| 1004 770   | 2004 385               | Reissue filing fee                           |   | 1403                        | 290                      | 2403        | 145         | Request for oral hearing   |             |  |
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| 2. EXTRA C   | CLAIM FEES             | FOR UTILITY AN                               |   | 1501                        | 1,330                    | 2501        | 665         | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |             |  |
| Total Claims   | 25                     | Extra Claims below                           |   | 1502                        | 480                      | 2502        | 240         | Design issue fee   |             |  |
| Total Claims<br>Independent  | 35 -20*                |  | ===   | 1503                        | 640                      | 2503        | 320         | Plant issue fee  |             |  |
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